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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in light of the Final Office Action of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailed on September 5, 2008 and the telephonic interview conducted by Applicants' undersigned representative with Examiner Graham on October 9, 2008:

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper replace all prior versions of the claims.

Remarks begin on page 24 of this paper.